

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Magnus Polla)	Confirmation No. 9146
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Application No. 10/517,713)	Group Art Unit: 1625
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Filed: December 10, 2004)	Examiner: Taylor V. Oh
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For: 2,5-Disubstituted 3-Mercaptopentanoic Acid)	Date: December 15, 2008

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

In response to the Quayle Action dated December 5, 2008, the time for responding to which extends through February 5, 2009, Applicants respectfully request allowance of the subject application in view of the following amendments.

Amendments to the claims begin at page 2 of this response.

Remarks/Arguments begin at page 8 of this response.